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## **FARMVILLE COUNTY MAN GETS "SPECTACULAR" \$1 MILLION PRIZE!**

**RALEIGH-** Surrounded by well-wishers and friends Reginald Joyner of Farmville returned to the store where he bought his winning instant scratch-off ticket worth \$1 million. The hospital employee is the first player to claim the \$1 million prize on the instant scratch-off ticket "\$100 Million Cash Spectacular."

Joyner ironically bought the ticket at the store called "First Break" in Farmville. What a break it is for Joyner to know he will be receiving \$50,000 a year minus taxes from the North Carolina Education Lottery (NCEL) for the next 19 years. He already has received his first check.

"I'm going to keep working, but it will be a nice supplement," Joyner told NCEL officials. "I may take me a trip to Jamaica because I have always dreamed of going there. I want to see that blue water."

There are nine more \$1 million prizes available in the "\$100 Million Cash Spectacular" game along with tens of thousands of other prizes. The NCEL has paid out over \$28 million in prizes on the ticket that first went on sale Jan. 8.

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100% of the North Carolina Education Lottery net proceeds are used for pre-kindergarten programs for at risk youth, reduction of class size in early grades, school construction and college scholarships for need-based individuals.